

Henry Fowles Watson

Rancher Nears 80th Birthday

Tribune Special
HEBER, Dec. 3—Henry Fowles Watson will observe his 80th birthday here Sunday in the town where he was born Dec. 6, 1869.

He will welcome friends and relatives at an open house from 2 to 6 p.m. at the residence of a son, Nif C. Watson.

Mr. Watson, known in this region, where he farmed and raised sheep most of his life, as "Uncle Harry," was a son of Thomas Squire and Elizabeth Honeyman Watson, who came to Utah from Scotland.

He married Ella Maria Murdock Dec. 22, 1892, and they lived for a few years at Park City, then returned to Heber. In 1901 he purchased the ranch near Charleston, Wasatch county, where he lived until the land was purchased for the Deer creek project.

He has been active in the Church



Civil Cadet Fliers Ready Flight To Bryce Canyon

Tribune Leased Wire
OGDEN, Dec. 3—More than 50 civil air patrol cadets from Weber and Ogden high schools will leave Hill air force base at 9 a.m. Sunday for an orientation flight to Bryce canyon area.

Fliers will include 26 cadets from each school, senior officers from both C.A.P. units, and instructors. Capt. Werner G. Goering, air force C.A.P. liaison officer, will head the flight, assisted by Lt. Jack Sorenson, Weber high school aeronautics instructor and C.A.P. commanding officer at the school.

First stop will be at Cedar City, after which the aerial caravan will tour Bryce canyon and Zion national park areas sight-seeing. Each cadet will have an opportunity to ride the co-pilot's seat, handles controls in actual flight and work out navigational problems along the trip.

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Squire Watson and Elizabeth Hon-
to be born in Utah as they left Scot-
April 1869 and arrived in Heber in S-
ber of 1869. So he really crossed the
He was the fifth son, and later more
ers and two sisters arrived making 1
dren, only four grew to manhood. T
Squire and William Don were born in
land.

When he was six and his brother
ten, there was a dispute at the dis-
block and Henry's toes were cut near
on one foot. They were fastened ba-
with molasses. At the age of 13 he
his father Thomas freight butter, ch-
eggs, grain and passengers to Park
They also carried the mail. On a
home one day from freighting they we-
that his mother Elizabeth, who was 5
been killed by a bull she had taken to
ter many times. Henry was then 19.

Later he worked for Kimball Coal
at Park City and so there is where they
their first home after he married Ella
Murdock on Dec. 22, 1892. Lacy and
were born there. They later moved to
where he went in the cattle business wi-
father. Here Nymphas and Maud Ella
born in the old John Muir place.

Later they purchased a large farm
his father-in-law in Charleston, and
many things happened. Then Elvera
born, also Sina, Thaylia, Mazie, E
Thomas and Robert.

Lots of work and problems, big farm
pense, sickness, schoolings, degrees,
sions, and one son Harry served in V
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